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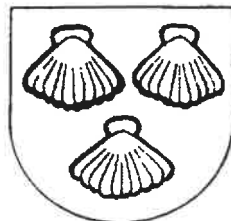


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November 29, 2020 – “Hope”

9:30AM ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE

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Pastor: Rev. Patricia Abell		



Saint James
United Methodist Church
Marriottsville, MD

WE GATHER

Welcome and Prepare

Rev. Patricia Abell

Prelude “God So Loved the World” (Sir John Stainer) *offered by Bonnie Inkman, organ*

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Crossing the Threshold

Opening Prayer

Donna Benson, Liturgist

Holy One,
we thank you for the glimpses we catch
of your gift of untiring hope.
Even in the midst of fear,
of challenge, of struggle—
even when our view is obscured
by clouds of doubt,
ignite the flame of hope within us,
**People: ... that we might glow with its brilliance
from the inside out.**



Lighting of the Advent Candle

Opening Hymn

“Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus”

UMH 196

Verse 1

Come Thou long expected Jesus
Born to set Thy people free
From our fears and sins release us
Let us find our rest in Thee
Israel's strength and consolation
Hope of all the earth Thou art
Dear desire of every nation
Joy of every longing heart

Verse 2

Born Thy people to deliver
Born a child and yet a King
Born to reign in us forever
Now Thy gracious Kingdom bring
By Thine own eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone
By Thine all sufficient merit
Raise us to Thy glorious throne

WE PROCLAIM

Children's Time to Shine

"This Little Light of Mine"

Rev. Patricia Abell

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Scripture

Isaiah 64: 1-9

Rev. J.W. Park

Psalter

Psalms 80

Rev. Ann LaPrade

Hymn

"Mine Eyes Have seen the Glory"

UMH 717

Verse 1

Mine eyes have seen the glory
Of the coming of the Lord
He is trampling out the vintage
Where the grapes of wrath are stored
He hath loosed the fateful lightning
Of His terrible swift sword
His truth is marching on

Verse 2

I have seen Him in the watchfires
Of a hundred circling camps
They have builded Him an altar
In the evening dews and damps
I can read His righteous sentence
By the dim and flaring lamps
His day is marching on

Verse 4

In the beauty of the lilies
Christ was born across the sea
With a glory in His bosom
That transfigures you and me
As He died to make men holy
Let us live to make men free
While God is marching on

Chorus

Glory glory hallelujah
Glory glory hallelujah
Glory glory hallelujah
His truth is marching on

Verse 3

He has sounded forth the trumpet
That shall never call retreat
He is sifting out the hearts of men
Before His judgment seat
O be swift my soul to answer Him
Be jubilant my feet
Our God is marching on

Verse 5

He is coming like the glory
Of the morning on the wave
He is wisdom to the mighty
He is honor to the brave
So the world shall be His footstool
And the soul of wrong His slave
Our God is marching on

Scripture

Mark 13:24-37

Rev. Edgardo Rivera

Message

“Hope”

Rev. Dr. Antoine “Tony” Love

WE RESPOND



Litany of Belief

Invitation to Discipleship

Rev. Dr. Wanda Duckett

Prayers for God’s People, the Church and the World

Rev. Rebecca Iannicelli

Share your prayer requests at pastor.saintjames@verizon.net or stjamessec@verizon.net

The Lord’s Prayer

Offering

Mission Moment

Doxology

“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”

UMH 206

Verse 1

Chorus

In Him there is no darkness at all
The night and the day are both alike
The Lamb is the light of the city of God
Shine in my heart Lord Jesus

WE GO FORTH

Carol of Resistance

"I Heard the Bells"

Verse 1

I heard the bells on Christmas day
Their old familiar carols play
And wild and sweet the words repeat
Of peace on earth goodwill to men

Verse 2

I thought how as the day had come
The belfries of all Christendom
Had rolled along th'unbroken song
Of peace on earth goodwill to men

Verse 3

And in despair I bowed my head
There is no peace on earth I said
For hate is strong and mocks the song
Of peace on earth goodwill to men

Verse 4

Then pealed the bells more loud and deep
God is not dead nor doth He sleep
The wrong shall fail the right prevail
With peace on earth goodwill to men

Verse 5

Till ringing singing on its way
The world revolved from night to day
A voice a chime a chant sublime
Of peace on earth goodwill to men

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Benediction

Rev. Patricia Abell

We wait for justice
but we do not wait to work for change;

We wait for restored health
but we do not wait to work to heal;

We wait for wholeness
but we do not wait to work at binding brokenness;

We wait for peace
but we do not wait to work to eliminate hatred.

And so, my friends, like bells ringing out the news
that the sun still shines even on cloudy days,
fill the night left by sadness with messages of hope.
Go into your lives humming the tunes that keep that hope alive in you
and that spur you on in your work of justice and reconciliation.
Raise your voices and repeat after me...
"do not be afraid!"

**“do not be afraid!”
Amen!**

Postlude

“Song of Hope” (Sylvia Riggs) *offered by Bonnie Inkman, organ*

Sylvia K. Riggs
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Rev. Ann LaPrade
Rev. Edgardo Rivera

Rev. Gerard A. Green, Jr.
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Rev. John Wunderlich III

I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day 187

And He will be their peace, Micah 5:5 (NIV)

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